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IMPORTANT NOTE: This article (MM3572) was based on Change Request (CR) 3572 which has been fully replaced by CR3720 (Transmittal 477), dated February 18, 2005, Subject: New Case-Mix Adjusted End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Composite Payment Rates and New Composite Rate Exceptions Window for Pediatric ESRD Facilities.

CR3720 is a full replacement of CR3572 that was issued on November 19, 2004, and CR 3572 is rescinded. CR3720 clarifies Business Requirement 3720.2 regarding the Outpatient Provider Specific File. Information referencing ESRD Pricer inputs/factors was also corrected in the attachment.

To see CR3720 (Transmittal 477), go to

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